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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION AND  
SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Sir:

This Submission under 37 CFR 1.114 comprises amendments and arguments previously submitted October 13, 2006 in response to a Final Office Action dated August 22, 2006. The amendments were not entered, and the arguments were not considered, on the grounds that they raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search.

Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

Claims 10-17 are pending in this application prior. By action of this Amendment, Claims 10 and 12-17 are amended.

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